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Applicants : Joseph C. Sher
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AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING APPELLANTS' REPLY BRIEF

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Dear Sir:

In response to the March 31, 2003 *Examiner's Answer* in which the Examiner withdrew the rejection of Claims 22-24, Applicants (Appellants herein) submit the following amendments to the above-identified application.

Amendments to the Specification: Applicants are not amending the specification in this paper.

Amendments to the Claims: Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of the claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings: Applicants are not amending the drawings in this paper.

Remarks/Arguments: Applicants' remarks and arguments in support of the patentability of the claims and the allowance of this application begin on page 8 of this paper.